





# BERLIN PROTESTS AGAINST ENTRY OF FRENCH TROOPS

Under the act of March 3, 1879.  
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him.



# FACTIONALISM IN BOARD MAY CAUSE WITHERS TO RESIGN

**Superintendent of Schools Is  
Holding Several Offers  
From Other Cities in  
Abeyance. Friends Assert.**

Close associates of Dr. John W. Withers, Superintendent of Public Instruction, following the recent charges made by Circuit Judge Hartmann that the unrest among

public school teachers is due to factionalism in the Board of Education, have learned that he is dissatisfied with the situation in the schools here and is thinking seriously of resigning unless there is a change in the attitude of certain board members opposed to him.

The issues between Dr. Withers and the faction opposing him have been joined in the controversy over the proposed schedule of salary increases for teachers. His final decision will be determined by the action of the board on his recommen-

He has received offers from other cities which will be held open for him indefinitely. His continued refusal to discuss these offers for publication is based on his belief that at this critical time in economic conditions a statement from him would

be construed as an effort to make his position here more remunerative. His salary is \$3000 a year.

**Withholds Comment.**

At the same time Dr. Withers does not care to comment on the organized opposition to his policies by a certain group of board members.

for fear that he will be accused of trying to assume the role of a dictator. His friends say that he does not object to fair criticism of his official conduct but that the persistency in which petty obstacles have been thrown in his way has embarrassed him.

Dr. Withers' friends say a majority of the board members are in sympathy with his efforts to keep up the high standard of the St. Louis school system and are giving him their united support.

It is said that Dr. Withers does not want to leave St. Louis if he

maining here, he can give the schools his best work. He is strongly attached to the educational system here and desires to keep it up to its present high standard of efficiency, his friends say, but in order to do so must be unhampered.

In a recent address before the St. Louis Public School Patrons' Alliance, Judge Hartmann, former president of the organization, declared that "factionalism in the Board of Education had brought about the state of unrest among the teachers." He said that the faction was com-

posed of Richard Murphy, Stephen M. Wagner, Frank X. Hiemenz, Joseph Joering and Dr. Henry Gettys, and said that he believed it would be to the best interests of the schools for those members to resign.

Hartmann, demanded that the charge be retracted. Judge Hartmann not only refused to retract, but also reiterated the charge. He said that the records of the board would bear him out. Murphy said that the same records would back up his denial that a faction was opposing the

There are 12 members of the Board of Education. The seven members not included in Judge Hartmann's charges are Jesse McDonald, president; Dr. Henry L. Wolfner, W. Frank Carter, Ben Stromberg, Christopher W. Johnson, Harry Rosanko,

Representatives of the employees of the Department of Instruction, including principals, high school teachers and grade teachers, will attend an informal meeting of the board tomorrow afternoon, when the proposed salary schedule will be discussed.

posed salary schedule will be discussed. The teaching staff has been asked for the first time to present its views on the salary question.

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**British to Increase Ship Rates.**  
By the Associated Press.  
LONDON, April 7.—Increases in

ocean rates from the United Kingdom to North America will take effect on April 19 and will range from 25 per cent on lower classes of goods to 50 per cent on more valuable articles, according to the London Times.

OCEAN STEAMERS  
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NEW YORK—LIVERPOOL			
Cedric .....	Apr. 17		
Baltie .....	Apr. 17	May 22	June 28
Megantic .....	Apr. 21		
Oriana .....	End Apr.		

Celtic ..... May 15 | June 19 | July 24  
NEW YORK—AZORES—GIBRALTAR  
NAPLES—GENOA  
Canopic ..... May 12 | July 6 |

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**CANTILE MARINE CO.**  
 11th and Locust Streets.

This image shows a blank, aged, cream-colored page, likely an endpaper or flyleaf of a book. The paper has a slightly textured appearance with some minor discoloration and a horizontal crease near the top edge. A small dark spot is visible near the bottom left corner.

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## PAINTERS CHOSEN FOR CAPITOL DECORATIONS

Contracts for Seven Lunettes for  
Soldiers and Sailors' Mu-  
seum Awarded.

Contracts for the painting of seven lunettes in the soldiers' and sailors' museum of the State Capitol at Jefferson City were awarded yesterday by the commission in charge of decoration. The artists engaged are Oscar E. Berninghaus, 2939 Castleman avenue, painter of Indian themes; Frederick G. Carpenter, instructor in the Washington University School of Fine Arts; Adolph Blomheim of Providence, Mass., and N. C. Wyeth of Chadsford, Pa.

All of the paintings will depict war scenes in which Missouri troops or Missourians were chief participants. Berninghaus will do the lunettes, which will be 9 1/2 by 16 feet. One will present the attack by Indians under the English upon St. Louis in 1780, the repulse of which in a fort on the present site of Fairground Park marked the preservation of Louisiana as a French territory. A cannon was mounted in the fort and the thunder of its discharge so frightened the Indians that they fled.

The second lunette will depict a scene of the War of 1812. No Missouri troops participated in that clash, but the surrender of the Miami Indians soon thereafter was a related event. The surrender was to Gen. Dodge, commanding Missouri Rangers, at Miami Bend on the Missouri River, 600 Indians capitulating. This marked the end of Indian warfare in Missouri. It will be remembered that the settlers wanted to massacre the Indians, but Gen. Dodge and Daniel Boone's son faced them and threatened the lives of the first to move to that end.

Carpenter's paintings will depict events of the Mexican and Spanish wars. The Mexican war theme is the battle of Sacramento, which was participated in by Missouri troops, including Battery A of St. Louis, at the end of Doniphan's famous long march into Mexico. The Mexicans in superior force were in a strongly fortified place but, as the expression would be now, they were "beaten to a frazzle."

No Missouri troops saw battle in the Spanish-American war, so the nearest approach to action was chosen. This was the entry of the Fifth Missouri Infantry into Havana at the head of the American forces.

Scene From World War. Blomheim is commissioned to present one of the battle scenes of the recent war in which Missouri troops were participants. The definite theme is not yet chosen. Blomheim was a member of the United States army camouflage section in France.

Wyeth will do the Civil War in two scenes. One will depict a Confederate victory—the battle of Wilson's Creek, near Springfield, Mo., at which the Union leader, Gen. Nathaniel Lyon, was killed. The other will depict a Union victory—Westport Landing.

Berninghaus' compensation will be \$4028.35; Carpenter's, \$4025.35; Blomheim's, \$2000, and Wyeth's, \$2000. A contract for the payment of \$12,164 to Richard E. Miller of St. Louis for two decorative paintings, one to the right and one to the left of the chair of the President of the Senate, also was awarded. A description of these themes recently was printed in the Post-Dispatch.

The commission comprises Dr. John P. Board of the University of Missouri, chairman; W. K. Bixby of St. Louis, vice chairman; Arthur A. Kocian of St. Louis, secretary; Mrs. W. R. Painter of Jefferson City and S. Downing of Kansas City.

"The Capitol decoration bill creating the commission and initiating the appropriations was put through the Legislature by the St. Louis Art League. The current appropriation is \$100,000."

## 400 SHOPMEN EMPLOYED BY ST. LOUIS CAR CO. ON STRIKE

George Orles, national organizer for the Carpenters' Union, announced today that 400 shopmen employed by the St. Louis Car Co., 1900 North Broadway, had been on strike since last Friday, and that he and other union heads had come to St. Louis to try to adjust the differences between the men and their employers.

Orles said that the striking craftsmen included carpenters, machinists, blacksmiths, painters and car workers, and that their grievance was based on an alleged violation of agreement regarding the eight-hour workday. He said that the men had been requested to work 40 minutes overtime at regular rate of pay, and that a sign had been posted in the shop notifying them that if they did not care to comply with the order they could call as individuals at the office of the company and voice protest.

Instead of calling as individuals, Orles said, the men went in a body to the office and notified Edwin B. Meisner, president of the company, that they would not work overtime unless time and one-half wages were paid.

It was said at the office of the company today that Meisner is handling the strike personally and that he is out of the city. He is expected back tomorrow.

## McADOO HAVE NEW DAUGHTER

NEW YORK, April 7.—Mr. and Mrs. William McAdoo last night announced the birth of a daughter, Mary Faith McAdoo. This is the second child born to Mrs. McAdoo, who was Miss Eleanor Wilson, youngest daughter of the President. The first child, named Ellen Wilson, after the mother of Mrs. McAdoo, is 4 years old.

## WIFE MUST SUPPORT HUSBAND IN RUSSIA IF HE CANNOT WORK

Mutual Consent or Desire of One  
Is Sufficient Grounds for  
Divorce.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, April 7.—A Russian wife is required to support her husband if she be able to do so and he is unable to work and in need of her support, under the marriage laws of Soviet Russia. A copy of this code, translated into English, has just reached London from the Russian People's Commissariat of Justice. It provides that married persons shall be expected to support each other. Should one refuse and the other be what is classed as a "needful," unfit to work, the latter has the right to apply to the Department of Social Security to compel the husband or wife, as the case may be, to pay support.

Mutual consent of husband and wife or merely the desire of one of them to be freed from the other may be considered as grounds for divorce. Local judges are authorized to hear divorce cases, but their decisions are subject to appeal. The matrimonial age is fixed at 15 for men and 14 for girls. Both must be of sound mind and mutually desirous of marriage. Differences of religion or vows of celibacy are no impediment. Married persons may choose to bear the surname of the bride or of the bridegroom or their joint names. Marriages contracted in accordance with religious forms are not binding unless the union is registered under the prescribed form of civil or Sovietist marriages. Old forms of marriage law or, as it is termed, "the legalized forging together of men and women," are abolished.

Under the laws of succession in the Soviet code, none but the "needful" and the State may inherit property. The estate of emigrants and of rebels are subject to confiscation by the State.

## SEPARATE G. O. P. CONVENTIONS IN SAME HALL IN GEORGIA

Wood Leader Locks Doors, but Governor Opens It to Those Opposing Instructions.

By the Associated Press.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 7.—Hard-fought contests over selection of four delegates-at-large to the national convention and over election of a National Committeeman seemed probable today, when the Georgia Republican State convention met here.

Delegates represented the "regular" Republican organization, which has two wings, one led by Roscoe Pickett, State chairman, supporting Major-General Wood, and another led by Henry Lincoln Johnson, working for an uninstructed delegation.

Wood delegates have been elected in all 12 congressional districts, but in many districts uninstructed delegates also have been chosen.

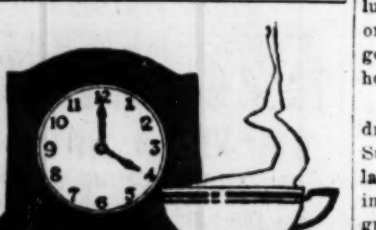
Shortly before the hour of convening, the Pickett faction took possession of the House of Representatives in the State Capitol, where the convention was to be held, and locked the doors. Scores of negroes and some whites pounded the doors, demanding admission.

Chief of Police Beavers appeared and after a conference with Gov. Dorsey it was decided to throw open the hall for the admission of both factions. Johnson led his faction into the room amid shouts and songs. At noon, Johnson, who had taken possession of the speaker's rostrum, declared the convention to be in order. Pickett's followers, styling themselves the "regular wing of the party," assembled in another part of the same hall, with Pickett in the chair.

## \$125,000 ADDITION TO CHURCH

The Winnegabo Presbyterian Church, Winnebago street and Tennessee avenue, which was started 10 years ago, soon will be completed. The present building will be added to, the new part becoming the church and the smaller portion, which has been used for church purposes, becoming the Sunday school room.

The parsonage, occupied by the Rev. Jerrie Johnson, and standing on the corner, is being moved to a lot at an opposite corner of the street, just purchased, in order to make way for the church. It is a seven-room brick house. About \$125,000 will be spent on the church. It will be raised by subscription.



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## FARRIS ACCUSED OF BEING ON ALL SIDES

Atkinson and Crossley, in Reply,  
Ask How He Stands on Read  
and Prohibition Himself.

John M. Atkinson of St. Louis and Lieutenant-Governor Wallace Crossley of Warrensburg, candidates for the Democratic nomination for Governor, today replied to a letter from Frank H. Farris of Rolla, one of their opponents, who demanded to know their views on prohibition and on the sending of Senator Reed as a delegate from Missouri to the Democratic national convention.

Both in their replies accused Farris of having been on all sides of both questions and inquired as to just where he stood at this time. Crossley avoided direct answer to Farris' inquiry.

Atkinson called Farris' attention to the Atkinson platform, which supported the league of nations and the President, and then said that he was opposed to Senator Reed or any other person who is out of harmony with the national administration going as a delegate to the convention.

"You first stated," Atkinson said, "that you opposed sending Senator Reed as a delegate, then you afterwards changed your mind and stated you favored sending him as a delegate, and now you are opposed to sending Senator Reed as a delegate."

On prohibition Atkinson called attention to the fact that in his platform he said that if elected Governor he would recommend legislation to co-operate with the Federal Government in the enforcement of prohibition.

"You have been known for many years as one of the ablest advocates of the saloon and liquor interests," he wrote to Farris, "yet I am informed that when more than 100 members of the last House favored ratifying national prohibition you then voted for such ratification, but now you have again changed your mind and favor its nullification and defeat by permitting the sale of intoxicating beers and wines, even without regulation, restriction or license, a policy which would mean the opening of wine and beer rooms and brothels and gambling houses in untold number in our large cities and a reign of crime and lawlessness as never before witnessed in this State. I am glad to be opposed to this policy which you advocate."

## WALSH TO SPEAK ON LEAGUE

Massachusetts Senator Will Appear  
at Saldan High Friday.

Arrangements were made yesterday by the Missouri Independence League for the entertainment of United States Senator David I. Walsh of Massachusetts, who will speak Friday night at Saldan High School against the league of nations. He will be the guest of the Independence League at breakfast at Hotel Statler at 10 o'clock and the guest of the City Club at luncheon. The subject of the Senator's speech will be: "The World Crisis and the League."

At the meeting of the Arrangements Committee yesterday speeches endorsing Walsh's opposition to the league were delivered by former Congressman Barthold and Dr. John H. Simon.

## PATRICK J. O'DONNELL DIES

Patrick J. O'Donnell, 49 years old, of 1526 South Compton avenue, for the last six years a Deputy Internal Revenue Collector, died at 6:30 p. m. yesterday at St. Mary's Infirmary. He had been ill with cancer for several months.

O'Donnell formerly was a member and secretary of the Democratic City Committee. He was Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Delegates in 1914-15 and was active in the St. Vincent de Paul Society, a Catholic charity organization. Surviving members of the family are his wife and seven sons and three daughters.

## ADVERTISING.

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## WAR HERO BEATEN FOR MAYOR

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
KIRKSVILLE, Mo., April 7.—Mayor W. E. Neil was re-elected yesterday by 140 majority over Capt. J. D. Hely of the Thirty-fifth Division, who was awarded the D. S. C. for gallantry in action.

A \$1 extra school levy to increase the pay of teachers failed to get a two-thirds majority. The vote stood 528 for to 528 against.

## Worth County Against Riled.

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## FIRST U. S. FUNERAL SHIP FROM ENGLAND DUE TO DOCK TODAY

Carries 87 Bodies—Vessel to  
Sail From Brest Tomorrow  
With 315 Caskets.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, April 7.—Officers of the army graves reclamation service are completing preparations today for the reception late in the afternoon of the first American funeral ship from either England or France. The transport Nansmond is expected to dock late in the day with 87 bodies of men who died in base hospitals in England.

Cable advices from France state that the transport Mercury, the first funeral ship bearing bodies of soldiers who died in France, will leave Brest tomorrow with 315 caskets.

## 15-YEAR-OLD BRIDE SUES TO HAVE MARRIAGE ANNULLED

Mrs. Gertrude Haley Alleges She Was  
Draped Into Wedding by  
Soldier, 19.

Mrs. Gertrude Detmar Haley, 15 years old, of 1913 Chouteau avenue, filed suit in the Circuit Court today, through her mother, Mrs. Altha Eisele, to have annulled her marriage to James Haley, 19 years old, of 1524 Chouteau avenue, a soldier.

The marriage took place Monday, at Clayton, and Mrs. Haley was taken from her husband by her mother when they returned to the city after the elopement.

The suit alleges that Mrs. Haley was duped into the marriage by promises of a happy future and that at the time she was not a free agent because of her youth.

When a copy of the petition was served on Haley last night the latter informed a Deputy Sheriff that his wife wanted to live with him, but was being held virtually a prisoner by her grandmother, who resides in Webster Groves.

## PRINCE OF WALES ARRIVES OFF POINT LOMA, NEAR SAN DIEGO

By the Associated Press.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 7.—The Prince of Wales arrived off Point Loma early today on board the cruiser Renown.

A citizens' committee in launches sailed out to the entrance of San Diego Bay to welcome the Prince before he was received officially by Gov. Stephens and a State Department representative.

Vice Admiral Williams, commanding the Pacific fleet in the absence of Admiral Rodman in Washington, had arranged a luncheon for the Prince when he visited the American navy as represented by the flagship Idaho.

British subjects and a citizens' committee had prepared a reception for him after the visit to the fleet. An automobile drive was arranged preceding an address at 4 o'clock at the Stadium, where President Wilson spoke recently.

## ARRESTED WITH SUITCASE

Youth Was Leaving House With  
Property of Samuel B. McPheeters.

A youth was arrested at 1:45 this afternoon as he was carrying a suitcase from the basement of the Chesterfield Apartments, Union boulevard and Waterman avenue. The suitcase proved to be the property of Samuel B. McPheeters, formerly president of the Police Board and more recently an officer in the American Expeditionary Forces. It contained war relics, one of them being a shell hammered into a vase, and articles of engineering equipment.

The youth said he was William Smiley, 18 years old, living at a downtown hotel, and lately employed in a Chicago packing house.

## HISTORY OF MARINES COMPILED

The local marine recruiting office, 122 North Seventh street, has received a supply of books giving the history of the Marine Corps in the World War. It gives full data on all regiments, replacements and locations, operations in general, official data on those wounded, killed in action and those who died of disease.

The book was compiled at headquarters at Washington by Maj. Edwin N. McClellan, officer in charge of the historical division. The book is free to men of the Marine Corps and relatives of marines who were killed in the war.

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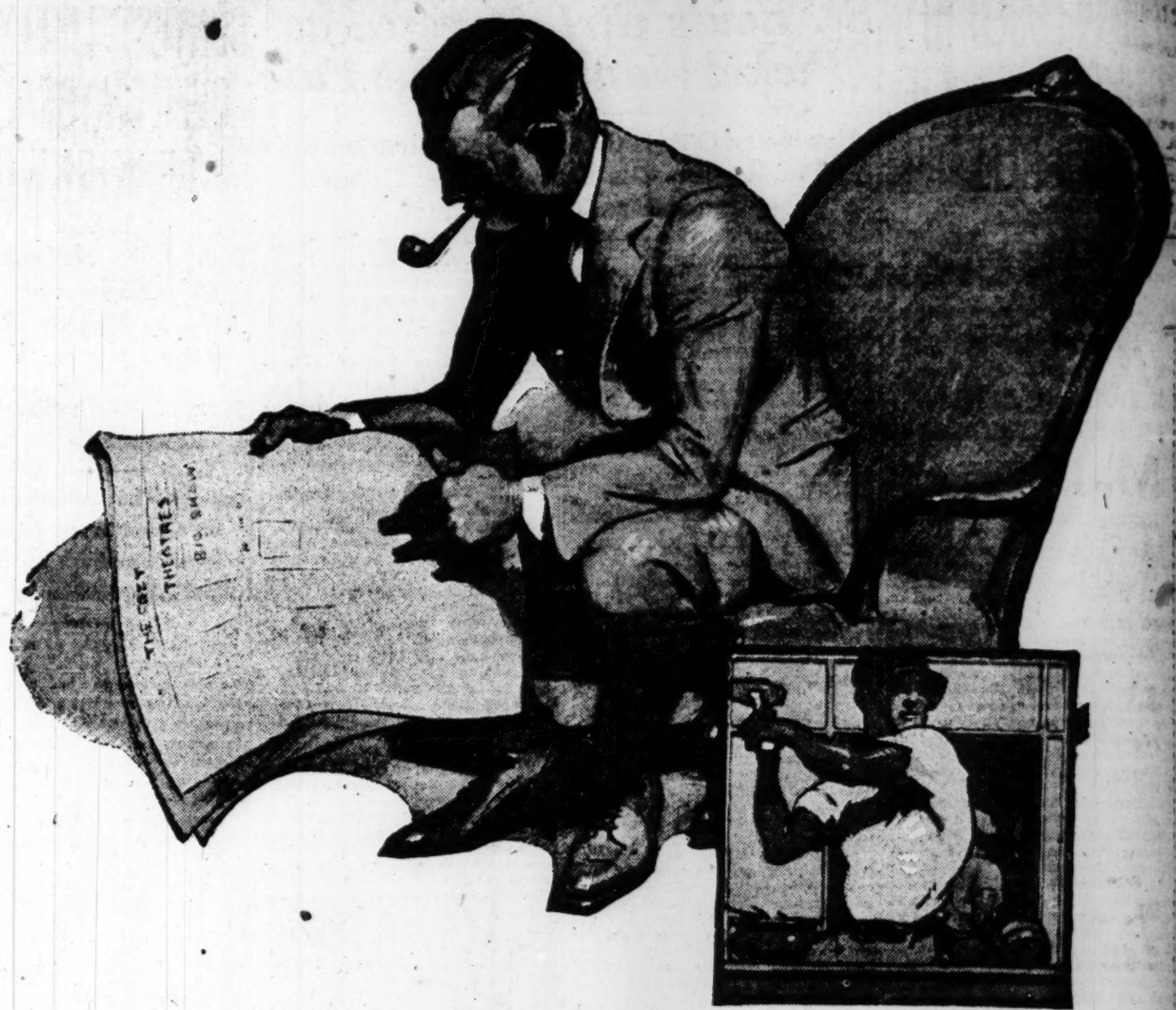
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# POTATO PRICE HAS INCREASED 2 CENTS A POUND SINCE JANUARY

Are Selling at \$1.20 a Peck, Against 20 Cents in 1914.

Potatoes may have been plain goods in 1914, when they cost the St. Louis housewife 20 cents a peck, but their present price bespeaks a greater reverence. Today they are quoted at 8 cents a pound—about 17¢ a peck. The unit of sale now is the pound. Source: western potato.

cost as much as 10 cents a pound. In 1916, when potatoes in Berlin were a cent a pound, they were about 2 cents in St. Louis. Three years ago they had jumped to 5 cents here. Through the efforts of the Food Administration the price fell to about 3½ cents in August, 1918. The price has gone up more than 2 cents a pound here since January. A commission merchant attributes the increase to the great demand and the small supply, which seedmen have declared is due to lack of farm labor and scarcity of seed potatoes.

# PUPILS GOT \$50,000 FOR OLD PAPER IN 4 YEARS

S. M. Wagner Asks That Plan of Collecting Waste Paper Be Adopted in Other Cities.

Stephen M. Wagner, chairman of the Committee on Finance of the Board of Education, who originated the idea of having pupils in the grade schools collect waste paper, has written to Congressman Dyer asking him to use his influence to induce the House of Representatives to encourage the adoption of the plan in cities throughout the United States. He did not suggest how this might be done.

Wagner said that since 1916, when the practice was begun, the pupils of the St. Louis grade schools have sold more than \$50,000 worth of castoff paper, mostly newspapers and periodicals. The money was appropriated to the teachers' annuity fund. Wagner conceived the idea as a matter of economy.

One day every week there is a "waste paper" drill in each of the grade schools. The pupils haul tiny trucks loaded with paper which they have gathered up during the week, and just before class hours they have a drill in the school yard. In some schools the drill is accompanied by music. As the pupils march about the yard they deposit their loads of paper in sacks, which are tied and then sold at auction to the highest bidder. Representatives of several paper companies attend the sales.

In some schools contests are held. At the Bryan Mullamphy School, 4221 Shaw avenue, a flag is awarded to the room which gathers the most paper. The flag remains in the room until the following collection day, when it is again awarded to the winning room.

Wagner said that the St. Louis idea had already been adopted by other cities, and he believes that now, that the shortage of print paper has become so acute, it would be a good thing if the plan was made national in scope. He said that he did not believe Congress could enact a law making the saving of waste paper compulsory, but that perhaps a resolution recommending the adoption of the plan throughout the United States might have the desired effect.

# ACTING WASHINGTON U. LAW DEAN ANNOUNCES FOR HOOVER

Tyrell Williams Says Best Thing That Could Happen Would Be Nomination by Republicans.

Tyrell Williams, acting dean of the Washington University Law School, has announced himself in favor of Herbert Hoover for President, as the Republican candidate on a liberal platform. In this connection, he said he is not at present taking an active interest in the Committee of Forty-eight, in which he has been one of the leaders. In a letter to Paul H. Drake, regional chairman of the Committee of Forty-eight, he says:

"The Committee of Forty-eight has accomplished much good in one year. It has helped to restore the right of free speech. It has helped to discredit that kind of partisanship which puts the welfare of parties above the welfare of the nation. Most important of all it has helped to bring into the domain of possibilities the election of Mr. Hoover as President. The best thing that could happen to the country in the next 90 days would be the nomination of Mr. Hoover by the Republicans on a liberal platform. If the reactionaries control the Republican party, I will join a third party as I did in 1912. But in the meantime I will hopefully regard myself as an independent Republican."

# NEGRO BURGLAR CAPTURED AS HE IS LEAVING RESIDENCE

Silk Dress and Other Property Recovered—Watchman Found Glass

A negro burglar was captured at 9:30 o'clock last night by policemen as he was leaving the home of Mrs. Eleanor F. Dorsett, 6070 Washington boulevard. He had a silver thermos, three decks of playing cards and a silk dress which were identified as having been stolen from the house.

When Private Watchman William Mannion was making his rounds he discovered that a glass panel in the front door of the Dorsett residence had been smashed, the door unlocked from the inside and the lights in the house turned on. He telephoned to the Page Boulevard Police Station and policemen were sent to the house. After surrounding the house two policemen entered by way of the front door. A negro ran from the dining room to the kitchen, and as he stepped to the back porch he was confronted by a half dozen policemen with drawn revolvers. The negro said he was Milton Lang, 21 years old. The family was away at the time.

No Bonus in Case of Reserves. By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, April 7.—Postmasters will not be allowed the \$5 bonus paid for each recruit they obtain for the army and navy hereafter unless the man enlists for active service. The Comptroller of the Currency related that the recruit bonus should not apply where the recruit joins with reserve or home defense corps.

\$214,020,000 Pension Bill Passed. By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, April 7.—The annual pension bill for 1921 carrying \$214,020,000 passed the House yesterday with a record vote and was sent to the Senate. It covers claims of 624,427 veterans of the Civil, Spanish-American, and Mexican wars.

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59c Draperies Drapery Voile; dark colors; fancy patterns; for portieres and over-drapes; yd... 49c  
50c Percales 2000 yards 36-inch fine quality indigo-dye navy blue Percales, with neat stripes and figures; also plaid; regular job value on the bolt; this lot in mill remnants at a yard... 35c  
45c Suiting 27 in. wide, light tan linen finish suitings; for boys' suits, auto seat covers, etc.; per yard... 25c  
50c Batiste Silk finish Batiste or nainsook; 40 inches wide; sheer, soft Nainsook; in navy blue and brown; yd... 25c  
75c Gingham 32 in. very fine plaid Gingham, sunfast colors; newest 1 1/2 yds. plaids as well as the dainty checks; yd... 59c  
45c Cretonnes Yard-wide Cretonnes, in large scrolls or small floral designs; yd... 25c

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Dress Hats, Street Hats, Matrons' Hats, Misses' Hats, Hats, From the close-fitting Turban to the wide rimmed p a ttern Hat, blk. and colors,  
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Infants' short and long Dresses; nicely made and trimmed; fine quality; a large line to select from, and extraordinary values,  
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\$2.25 Silk Pongee 33 inches wide; light tan, all-silk washable Pongee; extra special, a yard... \$1.88  
\$1.69 Silk Poplins Yard-wide beautiful 1 1/2 yds. Silk Poplins; in several beautiful shades; dress and skirt lengths; for quick selling, a yard... \$1.19  
\$2.50 Serges 64 inches wide; Pacific Mills make; in navy blue, black and navy blue; a yard... \$1.69  
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# After-Easter Special Shoe Clean-Up

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In this sale we include many of our higher grades: Choice of Oxford, Two-Eye Ties, pumps, etc. In the lot are tans, patents, dull and sid leathers, with English lace Oxfords, also 1 1/2 to 2, \$1.69; also to \$1.39  
\$5.95  
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Women's House Slippers—One and two strap kid-style Julietts, and black canvas strap styles, priced from \$1.00 to \$2.95  
\$3.95  
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# Cork-Linoleum 4 Yards Wide

Choice selection of burial-back genuine Cork Linoleum; comes four yards wide, to be covered average-size floor in one solid piece, avoiding all seams; sold regularly at \$1.60 per square yard; patterns slightly misprint; sq. yd... \$1.19  
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## FAILS TO PUT UP HANDS; SHOT BY NEGRO ROBBER

Lucien Le Tempt, 50 years old, 4214 Shaw avenue, office manager of the Graves Coal Co., 3914 Duncan avenue, was shot through the right

side by a negro highwayman who held up the office at 5:40 p. m., yesterday.

The negro, clad in a one-piece suit of khaki overalls, entered the office with a drawn revolver and ordered Le Tempt to throw up his hands. The latter reached for a desk drawer where he kept a "billy" and the negro fired at him.

The bullet penetrated Le Tempt's lungs and he fell. The negro ran west on Duncan avenue and escaped.

Le Tempt was taken in an ambulance to St. John's Hospital, where it was said that his condition was serious.

### Isolation Hospital Crowded.

The Isolation Hospital, 5700 Arsenal street, is crowded to within seven patients of its capacity and after today will be forced to direct applicants for admission to the city hospital. The hospital now has 63 patients.

## LOWDEN AND LEADERS TO CONFER TOMORROW

Candidate to Discuss Missouri Situation With Committee-men—Guest of Women.

Gov. Lowden of Illinois has arranged through correspondence to confer with members of the Republican City Committee of St. Louis, with several members of the Republican State Committee and with party leaders of both the city and State tomorrow, when he will be in St. Louis as the guest of the Republican Women's City Committee.

It is the understanding of local Republicans that Lowden wishes to go thoroughly into Missouri political conditions, in so far as they have a bearing on his candidacy for the nomination for President, and that at the conference particular attention will be given to the fight Lowden is facing in the Fourth, Fifth and Fifteenth district conventions, in all of which the Wood followers are making a determined effort to capture the delegations to the national convention.

Although no Missouri delegates so far selected are instructed on the presidential nomination, the Lowden headquarters are making the claim that all of the 24 delegates chosen are for Lowden, who has the support of the State organization.

Wood Strong in Fifth.

The Fifth District convention has not been called, but is expected to be convened within a few days. According to reports, Wood will get the two delegates from the Fifth, the organization boss, Thomas R. Marks, having been defeated in ward primaries prior to the municipal election yesterday. The Wood men say that Mark's control of Jackson County politics is broken.

In the Fourth District there is an active fight on behalf of Wood and it is possible that Wood will obtain one if not both the delegates from that district.

In the Fifteenth District, the Jasper County delegation has been instructed for Wood, although it is endorsed the candidacy of Thomas J. Franks, a Lowden man, for delegate to the National Convention. Jasper County has not enough votes to control the district convention, but the Wood men are striving to obtain support from other counties in the district. The district convention will be held in Carthage April 21.

Will Arrive at 7:45 A. M.

Gov. and Mrs. Lowden will arrive in St. Louis at 7:45 a. m. tomorrow from Indianapolis, and will be met by a Reception Committee which will include Mayor Kiel and Mrs. Kiel, National Committeeman Babler, Chairman Cole of the Republican State Committee, Chairman Schnoll of the Republican City Committee, Mrs. A. H. Brueggeman, National Committeewoman, Mrs. John F. Payne and Mrs. J. M. Hutchinson, chairman of the Republican Women's City Committee. Mrs. Fletcher Dobyne, Illinois member of the Republican Women's National Committee, also will be a guest of the St. Louis women.

There will be two luncheons at Hotel Statler, one for Gov. Lowden and the other for Mrs. Lowden and Mrs. Dobyne. At 3 o'clock they will be taken to the Board Walk at the Coliseum, and at 6:30 the Women's Club banquet will be at the Statler.

## WOMAN SUES HER FATHER FOR TRUST FUND ACCOUNTING

Mrs. Melba Frank Says M. A. Heilmann Owes Her \$12,000, Which He Set Aside for Her.

Mrs. Melba Frank yesterday filed suit for an accounting against her father, M. A. Heilmann, 1209 Rutledge street, manufacturer of store fixtures. She says that he owes her approximately \$12,000, the proceeds of a trust fund he started for her in 1905, when she was a minor, and continued to maintain by weekly deposits of \$25 until March 4, 1914. He since has checked out all of the fund except \$144 and appropriated the proceeds to his own use, the petition avers. The money was in the State National Bank.

It is alleged by Mrs. Frank that the trust arrangement was irrevocable and that her father had no right to withdraw the money for his own benefit after once depositing it for her as trustee. She asks that pending settlement of her claim he be enjoined from disposing of two pieces of real estate. Heilmann was at one time a balloon manufacturer.

## WOMAN HELD ON CHECK CHARGE

Mrs. Minnie Wood Accused of Signing Another's Name.

Having no bank account of her own and wishing to obtain some cash Mrs. Minnie Wood, 13 years old, of 615 East State street, Oklahoma City, consulted a St. Louis telephone directory yesterday. The first name she encountered was that of Mrs. J. D. Johnson, 816 South Taylor avenue.

Mrs. Wood then went to the National Bank of Commerce, filled out a half dozen counter checks for \$10 each and signed the name of Mrs. Johnson to them. She attempted to pass one of the checks at a department store, where she purchased a waist for \$2.95. The check was questioned and she left the store. Later she tried to cash another check at another store, after buying a kimono, and was turned over to the police. Mrs. Wood said she wanted the money to get back to her six-month-old baby in Oklahoma.

Two Spanish Aviators Killed.

By the Associated Press.

MADRID, April 7.—Capt. Martorell and Lieut. Cano, two of the best-known Spanish aviators, were killed yesterday when their airplane fell from a height of 50 yards to the roof of an airdrome.

## STREET CAR SERVICE RESUMED IN TOLEDO WITH 7-CENT FARE

By the Associated Press.

TOLEDO, O., April 7.—Street car service, suspended last Saturday when the Council refused to ratify a fair wage increase agreement, was resumed here early today. Car riders, who, prior to the strike of car-

men, paid six cents and two cents for a transfer, began today to pay seven cents in addition to the transfer tax.

How long the new rate will rule will be determined by the United States District Court through whose order service was restored. The court order provides that the company pay the wage increase retroactive to April 1.

## Firemen Withdraw Resignations.

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, April 7.—Chicago firemen voted yesterday to withdraw their resignations and to accept the 10 per cent wage advance provided for in the revised city

budget, it was announced by George B. Hargan, president of the firemen's association. The resignations, 1250 in number, were to take effect April 16. The firemen, who received a minimum of \$1800 a year, asked for an increase of \$200.

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tion or money back. By feeding the nerves directly and by supplying the body cells with the necessary phosphoric food elements, bitro-phosphate should produce a welcome transformation in the appearance; the increase in weight frequently being astonishing. In clinical tests made in St. Catherine's Hospital, N. Y., it showed that two patients gained in weight 23 and 27

pounds, respectively, through the administration of this organic phosphate; both patients claim they have not felt as strong and well for the past twelve years.

Physicians are now recognizing its merits by its use in ever increasing quantities. Frederick Kille, M. D., editor of New York Physicians' "Who's Who" says: "Bitro-Phosphate should be prescribed by every doctor and used in every hospital to increase strength and nerve force and to enrich the blood." Joseph D. Harrigan, Former Visiting Specialist to North-Eastern Dispensary, says: "Let those who are weak, thin, nervous, anemic, or run-down take a natural, unadulterated substance such as bitro-phosphate and you will see some astonishing results in the increase of nerve energy, strength of body, and mind and power of endurance."

Bitro-Phosphate is made entirely of the organic phosphate compound referred to in the National Standard Laboratory as being an excellent tonic and food. It is a natural substance, and has recently acquired considerable reputation in the treatment of nervousness, the standard of excellence, strength and purity of its substance is beyond question. For every bitro-phosphate tablet, the U. S. Pharmacopoeia test requirements, Bitro-Phosphate is therefore not a patent medicine and should not be confused with any of the secret nostrums, so-called, or widely advertised "cure-alls."

CAUTION:—While Bitro-Phosphate is unsurpassed for the relief of nervousness, general debility, etc., those taking it who do not desire to put on flesh should use extra care in avoiding fattening foods.

## CROKER OFFERS ALL HE OWNS FOR \$2,500,000

Old Tammany Leader Charges Sons Were Slackers and Threatens Those Slandering Wife.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. PALM BEACH, Fla., April 7.—For the first time in his career, which has hitherto been noted for reticence as to his business affairs, Richard Croker, the old Tammany leader, put an estimate today on his personal fortune.

"I have seen it published," said Croker, "that W. F. McCombs has been stating in connection with this suit that my fortune has been estimated at \$10,000,000 or thereabouts. Here's an offer I will make: anything that I own, all my stocks, bonds, real estate, personal property—everything for \$2,500,000 in cash. That's a pretty good offer, isn't it? I am worth \$10,000,000, and I will sell out at one-quarter of that amount."

"This will be no surprise to my son, Richard. He knows I am worth no such sum of money as is being claimed. This is all being put out to make it appear to the public that I have not taken care of my family the way I should have. I have always taken care of them, and do everything for them I could. In addition to what I have given them, I have gone to lots of trouble to throw business in the way of the boys, and out of this they should have made a good deal of money. I know Richard has."

Says Children Had Plenty. "Since Richard has been fighting me I have even looked after him in this way, through my friends, without myself appearing in the matter. Furthermore, all my children are married to persons of independent means. Although they may want some more, still they have had plenty."

"The trouble with my boys is that they won't get out and fight for a living. They wouldn't even go to war. I wrote Richard from Ireland when the war was on that I thought it had gone far enough without Richard and Howard getting into it. I said if I were 10 years younger I would be in it myself—would go then if they could find me anything I could do—and that I wanted to see my sons in it. The letter I got back from Richard made me sick. The only thing I could get out of it was that they were afraid to go. At any rate, they didn't go, did they?"

Warns Those Slandering Wife. "I also wish you would say," said Croker, "that I warn those who are guilty of making or spreading these false reports about my wife that I will make demands for retribution which I will follow to the end. Some of them had better look out for the penitentiary. You might say I am astonished that any respectable lawyers would attempt to make out such a case."

"Better leave the lawyers out of it," suggested his counsel.

"No, I will leave nobody out of it," said Croker. "If my children and others had confined their remarks to myself I would have paid no attention to them, but I think bringing my wife into this matter in the way they have done it, and without any basis whatever in fact for their charges, is the most outrageous thing I ever knew of. They have done everything by insinuation. Mrs. Croker will go on the witness stand and she will show a proper account for every cent of mine she ever had anything to do with, and go into whatever other matters are raised."

"Will you take the stand?"

"Certainly, if they want me to."

## DENY LACK OF MATERIAL AT FT. McPHERSON HOSPITAL

Charges of Shortage Investigated By Office of Surgeon-General in Washington.

A letter published in the Post-Dispatch about a month ago, in which complaint was made of a lack of materials for the use of patients in U. S. A. General Hospital No. 6, Fort McPherson, Ga., resulted in an investigation by the office of the Surgeon-General in Washington. Reports were received from Col. T. S. Bratton, Medical Corps, commanding the hospital; Lieutenant-Colonel Wallace H. Whitgam, chief educational officer; Lieut. H. S. Hansell, Maj. Henry K. Stinson and Maj. John T. Aydelette, all stationed in Army Hospital No. 6 and associated in the duties of occupational therapy. They denied that there had been any shortage of material or that the processes of reconstruction of health of patients had been interrupted.

The writer of the letter in the Post-Dispatch explains that the information on which her complaint was made was provided by a nurse in the service, and that the material received in response to her appeal had been forwarded to an individual in the camp.

## NEWMAN IS G. O. P. CANDIDATE

Harry Newman, a lawyer, of 1482A North Garrison avenue, who yesterday filed in the office of the Secretary of State in Jefferson City a declaration of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Congress in the Eleventh District, was through error in yesterday's Post-Dispatch said to be a candidate for the Democratic nomination.

It is not expected that Congressman Igoe will have opposition for the Democratic nomination. Two years ago the Republicans had no candidate against Igoe.

## Muskogee Labor Ticket Loses

MUSKOGEE, Ok., April 7.—George Walker, candidate for Mayor on a business men's ticket, was elected yesterday over Aldrich Blake, in a close running on a Labor ticket, by approximately 1000 majority.

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## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

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To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
About three weeks ago I noticed a letter in this column regarding exorbitant charges made by service agencies, and March 24 another letter appeared. Permit me to say that if the business men of this city would seek their office help through the want ads of the newspapers and not necessitate a charge from the employee amounting to 33 1/3 to 50 per cent, they probably would not be called upon for donations to so many charities and would have better satisfied assistants.

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VERA SMYTHE.

## The One Great Question.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
The amazing stupidity, ignorance and incompetence of the liquor interests in their fight against national prohibition is further exhibited by the utterances of the Association Opposed to National Prohibition, an organization formed by retail liquor dealers and some hotel proprietors. This association thinks that it is doing something to lift the blight of restrictive legislation imposed upon the country by a small minority of professional reformers and paid uplifters. It favors submitting the question of repeal to a referendum of the American people, although such a referendum would not have the slightest effect on the validity or operation of that amendment.

While professing to oppose prohibition because it is a direct violation of the principle of personal liberty and individual rights guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States, the A. O. P. favors such compromise measures as the so-called "beer and light wines" laws. It is all wrong, national prohibition is a law made by men and women of the right to decide for themselves what beverages they shall drink. It is all right to deprive them of the liberty to drink alcoholic beverages that they may prefer to beer or wine.

Discussing the old questions as to whether prohibition prohibits, or what its effects might be if it did prohibit, is useless. The one great question in which the American people are intensely interested is whether the Supreme Court of the United States will sustain the validity of an alleged amendment that was never legally submitted to the states; was never lawfully ratified by 36 State Legislatures; and that directly violates the fundamental principles of the Declaration of Independence and the existing provisions of the Federal Constitution.

WIDEN GRAHAM.

## "For Better or Worse."

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
When one reads the daily papers and sees the marriages, divorces and remarriages, one can but think that what was once considered by most Christian churches as a sacred ordinance is now a universal joke. And after studying most of these cases and seeing what they finally lead to, I would think that all churches would renew their efforts (some have already) to take a hand in combating this degrading abuse of our most sacred vow.

Marriage should be for the purpose of an everlasting happiness, instead of a temporary frivolous agreement.

WILLIAM L. MAGUIRE.

## Just Governmental Red Tape.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
He wasn't coerced—he volunteered for service when this country declared war. And he is one of the men (Third Division) who saved Paris, who threw back the advancing Hun at Chateau Thierry. He lost a leg there.

Of course all that happened a long time ago. That was when the wounded lay at Plenefouds, back of Soissons, were given no attention, not even drinks of water till protest after protest by a reserve officer unafraid of court-martial brought ambulances and aid from Paris. That was when the American staff officer couldn't act to aid these wounded because "I haven't been officially notified that there was a battle." And, of course, the French were blamed.

We are at home now. There are no French handy on whom the blame may be thrown. And this real man, a real patriot, is at home among the people who for one reason or another, good or bad, saw no fighting. He has been told that he is entitled to the eternal gratitude of these his countrymen.

Well, just now he's interested in getting another leg. He wrote to Washington. And after a while he received some papers to be taken to the Government (army) department here in this city for examination and aid. He carried the papers there. He presented his case. But some certain papers had not arrived through Government channels. He went back today after waiting several weeks and learned—that either he had never filed papers or that they have been lost. Now he may begin all over. Who cares? I presume that he may be classed under "Unrest Among the Returned Soldiers."

HUMPHREY SULLIVAN.

## DETROIT'S CITY-OWNED CAR LINE.

Detroit's vote of 89,285 ayes to 61,095 noes for a city-owned street car line is most suggestive to the residents of those centers which, like St. Louis, are groping to find a solution for baffling traction problems.

Detroit's experience with its street railway corporation runs parallel with that of other considerable towns. The net result of a 29-year war has been the maintenance of a lower schedule of fares than that prevailing in the average city. Quality of service, extensions commensurate with city growth, company resistance to all plans for betterment, however, have created needs which, in that city, as well as elsewhere, have long been urgent and have embittered the relations of municipality and traction magnates. Three prior municipal ownership projects have been rejected by Detroit in 21 years, owing to unsatisfactory details and to the exorbitant price demanded by the private company for its properties. The fourth project, which has had such striking approval, is based on the "San Francisco plan." Whereas, however, San Francisco's original bond issue was only for \$1,900,000 and its first lines have been extended from earnings and further bond issues, until it now has a 58-mile system, worth nearly \$9,000,000, Detroit has sanctioned an initial bond issue of \$15,000,000, and will create a 200-mile system.

A limited mileage of track will be bought from the private company in streets where franchises have expired and which will give access to the downtown section. The rest will be new mileage which the city will build to areas long without adequate service. Gasoline cars may be used, or, if that type is unpromising, an improved trolley car. No difficulty is expected about forcing transfers from the private company, from which additional franchiseless tracks will be taken over if the city system wins public confidence. Detroit needs subways, but realizes that the importance of surface lines is not to be minimized.

The experiment in public traction ownership is, accordingly, the most ambitious yet made by any American city. If it proves unsatisfactory, probably little will be heard about city ownership for a long time to come. If it is a success, it will indicate the lines along which many service-at-cost arrangements will be sought in the future.

## CONFERENCES THAT SHOULD CONTINUE.

With the conference on salaries to be held Thursday afternoon between principals, high school faculty members and grade teachers on the one part and members of the Board of Education on the other, a commendable departure will be brought about in the relations of the teaching force and the administrators of the school system. We may believe that misunderstanding will be cleared away and the way opened to the removal of many causes of dissatisfaction.

This should be only the first of many conferences of the sort. To extend the horizon of the teachers and bring the School Board members into contact with the practical problems encountered in the training of the young of the city will be helpful in many ways promoting efficiency.

## A NEW NEIGHBOR.

The announcement that New Zealand has been given a mandate for the former German islands of Savaii and Upolu, of the Samoan group, closes a dramatic chapter of the relations of the United States in that quarter during the last half-century or more, and opens a new era of promise for friendly and good-neighbored association.

As early as 1853 the United States was represented by a commercial agent at Apia, on the island of Upolu. In 1872, when the great chief of the Bay of Pago-Pago, in the island of Tutuila, offered the United States an exclusive naval base in that superb harbor, in exchange for protection, President Grant dispatched one Steinberger, as special agent to negotiate the treaty. But Steinberger, in unregenerate Prussian style, proceeded to make himself King of the islands, which role he filled for a year or more, when he was deported on a British warship, at the instance of the American Consul.

The treaty between the United States and Samoa was concluded in 1878, from which time conflict and controversy raged unintermittently with Germany and Great Britain, growing out of adverse claims to certain islands and German intrigue among the natives. War vessels of these two Powers were constantly riding at anchor in the harbor of Apia, and the high-handed conduct of German officers provoked the bitterest feeling among the British. In December, 1888, German marines were landed and martial law proclaimed. Americans and British declined to submit to it. Conditions became threatening.

On the morning of March 16, 1889, two American warships arrived in the harbor under command of Rear Admiral Kimberly. He found British and German vessels were ready for action. Then occurred one of the most dramatic interpositions of Providence in the whole record of history. A storm burst upon the bay of such violence as to render anchors useless. The British warship Calliope fought her way out to the open sea. Every remaining vessel, including the United States warships Trenton and Vandallia, was wrecked upon the reefs. In a twinkling the rival navies, threatening the peace of the world, had been destroyed.

It was not until 1899, when the islands were divided between the United States and Germany, Britain receiving compensations elsewhere, that this

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constant menace subsided. Yet Germany was not at all an agreeable neighbor in the years that have followed. The substitution of New Zealand gives assurance of understanding and sympathy and removes one more situation of danger to the peace of the world.

## HIGH PRICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Three of the four policemen shot in the attempted bank robbery on Easton avenue will recover, it is confidently expected, but the death of Terrence McFarland brings up to six the list of St. Louis policemen who have lost their lives during the past year in a courageous performance of duty. The record is one which in itself attests to the frequency of crimes of exceptional violence during the interval of a slow return to the conditions of peace. Five other members of the department, including its Chief, have incurred gunshot wounds at the hands of law violators.

Public safety has been purchased at a high price during these past months of daring crimes. If the record is one over which the community feels a deep regret, it is also one from which the morale of the department may be estimated. These six men who have died bravely in fighting the forces of lawlessness and disorder deserve to be held in grateful remembrance.

The high price of safety, however, should stimulate both the police and the court to effective co-operation against crime. No criminal should be permitted to escape the legal penalty.

## JAPAN IN VLADIVOSTOK.

The seizure of Vladivostok by Japanese is not for Japan's territorial expansion or tactical aggrandizement. It probably is merely a political move to aid in the suppression of the Korean rebellion, which just now is exceptionally active. Japan could not hope to take and hold this important port and terminus of the Transiberian railway without the approval of the allied Powers, but the Japanese military police can use this period of occupation to destroy the organization of Korean patriots who have made headquarters of Vladivostok, because it is so convenient to Korea.

Twenty-six years ago Japan landed 12,000 men in Korea in retaliation against China, which had sent 20,000 men there, at the request of a corrupt Korean Government, to help put down an insurrection. Japan has never withdrawn, and slowly and surely in the quarter century of occupation, has reduced Korea to a Japanese province, firmly held under the hand of the military. Unfortunately for itself, Korea occupies a peninsula due west of Japan. Friendly, it is a shield of defense for the Island Empire. Unfriendly, it offers a constant menace as a launching place of attack by any foe. For that reason, the Japanese have earnestly endeavored to win the friendship of the Koreans by modern, progressive improvements, such as good roads, schools and improved agricultural methods, coupled, however, with stern repressive measures. But the Koreans, a high-spirited, liberty-loving people, seem to want only freedom.

The 26 years of Japanese occupation have been filled with one long revolt. The effective Japanese censorship permits little news of it to reach the outside world, but occasionally there comes a story which gives a momentary picture of the inside of Korea, with its iron repression and the series of assassinations and punishments which go with repression.

It has been reported lately that the Korean patriotic center in Vladivostok was aided by workers and money lent by the Russian Bolshevik Government. Japan gains a technical advantage by taking Vladivostok, for thus it can hit both its foes. This technical and tactical advantage may be only temporary. These are bad times for those who rule by the sword, and they are great and pregnant days for those who seek liberty.

## JOHNSON AS THE ROOSEVELT HEIR.

With the Republican party split in 1912, Michigan was one of the eight states which failed to return a plurality for the Democratic nominee for President. This State gave a plurality for Roosevelt of 63,877 over Mr. Wilson, which was the largest plurality received by either Taft or Roosevelt in any state that year. The survival of this Roosevelt sentiment was one of the strongest factors in the Michigan presidential primary this year and explains in part the great lead Mr. Johnson obtained there over Gen. Wood. Another factor was the effect on a scandalized people, still writhing under the disgrace of the Newberry exposures, of the huge campaign expenditures attributed to Gen. Wood.

As an expression on the League of Nations, the result is less satisfactory. While Mr. Johnson's antagonism to the League was well known, it seems to have figured less in the campaign discussions than other things. The support given Edwards and Hoover in a Democratic vote too small to be fully representative was interesting.

One of the important places in the engineering department of the city, which will be called on to exercise the highest professional skill and competency in the event that the \$24,000,000 bond issue is approved, has been filled by the appointment without examination of the 21-year-old son of Director James N. McKelvey. Will the fact that an important appointment can be made in this manner and continued in effect for more than three months, or until public attention is directed to it, win votes for the bond project?

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PEACE (WITH RESERVATIONS).

## JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH  
by Clark McDams.

## THIS CRUEL WORLD.

SOMEONE has been imposing on my perhaps too evident Credulity. Some days ago I told you all, with best intent, about a girl I daily met. But had not spoken to us yet.

And on this page last night I read an answer signed by "Roscius." I liked it well because she said "That she was far from frivolous. Then I resolved, and right away, To speak to her the following day."

Her grating window I approached And said, "Good morning, Roscius. I trust that I'll not be reproached For introducing Cynicism!" And then I stood expectantly To hear what she would say to me. Well, never mind just what she said; I'd really rather not begin it. But this I learned—she's never read That famed wit-column, "Just-A-Minute." And now I'm telling "Roscius" Beware the wrath of CYNICUS.

## SIN-ICISM.

Mused he: Why was history written. Nothing of consequence ever happened before we kissed last night.

Said she: But how do you account for your birthday?

And their friendship ended. Temperament is the spotlight we consciously cast on our talents.

The only golden silence a beautiful woman recognizes is the temporary loss of the power of expression which mere men often experience at her sudden appearance.

Concise is used by man in the same way the crotch utilizes the sand. They both hide their heads in it—ineffectively.

Discretion is the bee that gets the honey and takes along no pollen.

The one-armed automobile chauffeur usually makes a one-armed husband.

Hush money never loses its powers of articulation.

PAUL ARTHUR YAWITZ.

Sir: I was much intrigued by the naive observation of Mr. Yawitz that "the atheist is a man who has vainly tried to stifle the pangs of his conscience, and is realizing that he has failed." Whatever else may be said of this quaint bit of reasoning, at least one may concede its originality.

To one accustomed to the more conventional modes of reasoning, conscience would not assume such an infallible role. I, for instance, having in mind the fact that a Mohammedan's conscience would trouble him for failing to observe a certain rite, while the Buddhist's conscience would trouble him for observing it, together with the fact that a Methodist conscience would take no cognizance of the matter one way or the other—having in mind these facts, I should be somewhat inclined to regard the manifestations of conscience with a certain wariness.

Aside from that, however, I find a curious piquancy about the logic by which Mr. Yawitz gets to where he was going. The thought that a man, upon realizing that he is wrong, is thereby confirmed in the belief that he is right, is, I confess, rather new. An atheist, I take it, is one who does not believe in the idea of divinity. Should he realize that he was mistaken, he would then cease to be an atheist. The man who says there is no God, while believing in his heart that there is, is not an atheist. He is a hypocrite.

PHILO.

Mr. Hoover got most of his Michigan votes from the farmers, notwithstanding we were told that the farmers are a unit against him. They seem not to have heard of it.

## Sir: A sign on Broadway:

Exclusive Tailor  
Cleaning & Pressing  
Ladies & Gents.  
Make Neworder  
Good Olition

Is this a new kind of pussyfooting, or is it pussyfoot spelling? MEOWW.  
A French-American restaurant tried to carry the menu in both languages. On the French side, this appeared:

Ris de veau a la financière  
Meaning rice and meat in good style, or something of that sort.  
On the English side this same dish appeared in English, as follows:

Smile of cow at the banker's wife  
The experience of our sign hunters with menus is that nothing is impossible.  
Sir: A movie sign at Alton:

Don't fail to see  
"Mary's Ankles"  
Tues & Wed  
Isn't Mary a little stingy with it?

Sir: Kings go down in one place only to bob up in another. Sign in a dance hall, South St. Louis:  
Music by the Seven Sovereigns of Sweet  
Syncopeation  
That must be the whole royal family.

Sir: A sign on Franklin avenue:  
Dishwasher Wanted  
Colard Lady

But they don't wear collars like they used to!  
Suggested advertisement for an outlying bank:  
Police Station Next Door

Gen. Wood urged economy in his speech at East St. Louis yesterday, which must have amused those who complain of the way his friends are spending money to get him nominated.

The Wood campaign sort of went up in smoke yesterday, didn't it?

CHICKENING.  
(Imitation of Leta Schilling's "Pearling.")  
A GLAD woman—  
My wife—  
Sends me forth to get a good chicken  
For baking—  
For Easter, you know.  
The bland butcher holds up  
And recommends one  
For \$3.40.

Languidly  
With passionless fingers  
I part the valves  
Of my pocketbook.  
Why do I fear  
Therein to look?  
Well do I know  
The requisite will not appear!

A sad woman—  
A cheerless Easter—  
Chickenless.  
April 5, 1920.

PLINTHOURGOS.

## The MIRROR of PUBLIC OPINION

This column is designed to reproduce without bias the latest comment by the leading publicists, newspapers and periodicals on the questions of the day.

## LODGE, WILSON AND THE TREATY.

From the Milwaukee Herald (German Language).  
IF the clumsy work of Versailles is rejected so far as America is concerned, certain Senators ought not to take too much merit to themselves. Politics were their main point of view. That the treaty of Versailles does not mean anything new was a matter of indifference to them if they did not even find it advantageous. All that they were out for was to pick a hole in the coat of Mr. Wilson because they did not want him to get the benefit of having founded the League of Nations and because he did not take them—certain Senators—earlier into his councils. Thus even Senator Lodge never uttered one syllable of criticism of the terms of peace. It is indeed great luck for Germany that Senator Lodge did not play a role in the Paris negotiations as a representative of the United States besides President Wilson. Lodge would surely have fulfilled all the desires of the French and would not only have conceded the left bank of the Rhine but possibly the right one as well. That the retention of the territory to the left of the Rhine was assured to Germany from the beginning is due to the fact that Wilson did not want to abandon his principles before the world completely and that he resisted in Paris the demands of the French militaristic party with Marshal Foch at the head, and frustrated an annexation of the right bank even if he could not prevent the temporary occupation of the left bank. The fit of fury of the French press over President Wilson's accusation against France is explicable. Paris Midi went so far as to assert that "the American nation is being led by a madman." Under different conditions such an attack on the first official of our republic would excite a storm of indignation and tear up completely the tie which connects us with a country which has just been severely afflicted by the war and which has been saved and helped by us. Finally a question for Mr. Wilson in this connection: If now, as he says, the military party is in control in France, why does he still insist on a separate alliance with France? Should he not rather retire the treaty for such an alliance which he concluded at the time and then submitted to the Senate?

## GOVERNMENT IN THE UKRAINE.

HENRY C. ALBERG in the Nation.  
THE Bolshevik Government, as I have said before, did not spell absolute disorder and ruin in the cities. I asked in Mohilev, as I had in Kiev and in Kharkov and Odessa, of all classes, which regime of all the 20 that had existed in Mohilev was the best. And I received in each case the answer: The Bolshevik regime. The Bolsheviks were there last. This brigade consisted of Magyars and Czechs. They protected the population against the oppression attempted by the peasant soldiers. Only six persons were executed by the Bolsheviks during their stay in Mohilev. A contribution of 4,000,000 rubles was levied, which, in comparison with the sums stolen during my stay by the bandits and their levy of 6,000,000, seems small and modest. The Denikinists, as so often, were the worst. Denikin allowed his Cossacks three days of pillage before he issued his usual hypocritical proclamation that "I learned that some of my soldiers are engaging in robbery and pillage. This must stop. I shall visit severe punishment on all those who do not obey this proclamation." And with the pillaging and murder went the crime of rape, a crime peculiarly encouraged by the Denikin officers, and indulged in by them. Under the Bolsheviks, aside from the actual executions, most of the disorder arose, as in Kiev, from inefficiency.



# The Little Gray Book

By E. PHILLIPS OPPENHEIM

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In which is set forth the Odd Adventure of Mr. Van Clarence Smith, the Masked Intruder, and the Ambassador's Memoirs...

PROBABLY the only person who did not seem to be thoroughly appreciating Sir Julian Kand's country house party was Van Clarence Smith. His fiancée and fellow conspirator, Lady Felicia Lakenham, became quite distressed about him towards the close of the afternoon upon which she had particularly enjoyed herself. She broke up a set of tennis to come over and console him.

"My dear Jim," she exclaimed, "why are you looking so melancholy?"

Van Clarence Smith, who had risen at her approach, sank back once more into the garden chair which she was now sharing with him.

"All day and no work, I guess, Felicia," he retorted gloomily.

"Well, that doesn't worry me," she laughed, "Mr. Honeywood! Look at him playing bowls over there with the Duke, with the perspiration dripping from his face and his coat hanging on the tree! Did you ever see a man enjoying himself more?"

"That's all very well," the young American pointed out, "but you see you've both had an inning. I haven't. Just look at the situation for a moment from my point of view, Felicia. We are practically in old Kand's employ. We have no qualifications, I suppose. You belong to the inner circles of the English aristocracy. You can go where you like and talk to whom you please; pump Cabinet Ministers or play the income with diplomatists."

"Dear me!" she murmured. "I begin to think that I've undervalued myself."

"You've had your show," he continued, "and you scored all right over it. Then there's little Honeywood, an American country town insurance agent, run away from a nagging wife and a narrow life in search of adventures. Look at the way he's turned out triumphs. No wonder old Kand pats him on the back! Yet he's down here, supposed to be my secretary, and so far I've seen nothing but a looker-on."

"Your time will come, Jim, dear," she assured him.

"A couple of thou a year is all very well," the young man admitted, balancing his racket on its forefinger, "but I should like to feel that I was earning a bit of it, at any rate. So far, all seem to have done is to have supplied the picturesque background."

Felicia laughed softly.

"Don't be a booby!" she exclaimed. "We each need the other, really, and apart from anything else, you discovered Mr. Honeywood and brought him into the show."

"He's a peach, Honeywood is!" was her comment.

panion's admiring comment.

"He's quite the social success of this party," Felicia observed.

Van Clarence Smith grinned.

"Say, if his account of himself is really true, and I believe it is, how his friends at Okhamstead would stare if they could see him here! Why, the Duchess is feeding out of his hand, and

life is part of the game with him. He has great ambitions. What they are I don't know. No one ever will know. But one thing I am certain of: women mean a little less to him than his early morning cigar."

The young man's gloom was unrelieved.

"Well, I'm sick of playing the muscular butterfly," he grumbled. "I'm not English enough

better?"

"Gee, but I should think I do!" the young man declared heartily. "That's fine, Felicia. Sounds as though there might be a scrap in it, too."

"O, I dare say you'll get all the scrapping you want," she replied, "before we have finished our contract with Sir Julian! Jim," she went on, laying her hand upon his arm, "wouldn't you like

to be known about the cause of it?"

"Perhaps so," her companion acquiesced, "and yet over here, as well as with us, the queerest things will sometimes knock the whole bottom out of a market. Way over in New York, the health of a railway or bank president, or even his departure for a holiday, will send Wall Street mad. On this side, if any lunatic in the Balkans

companions, "to escape for a little time from the atmosphere of diplomatic restrictions, and to talk with one's friends about matters which are nearest to one's heart. When I speak to you two I feel that I speak to England. I am an Ambassador with a frank and open mission. I have no need to cover up anything, to withhold or to deny. I am here on behalf of all that is best in Germany, to encourage a lasting peace between our two countries."

"It is a noble aim," the Cabinet Minister declared emphatically. "You will find us more than ready to meet you in every respect."

"So far," the Ambassador continued, "I think I may say that I have met with a certain measure of success. I have convinced myself of your earnest desire for peace. I think I have convinced you the powers which count for all that is best and most enduring in my country are equally in favor of it. But I should be deceiving you, and I should be doing less than justice to myself, if I were to fail to impress upon you, as I have done in private conference with your Prime Minister and your King, the fact that there is a disagreeable strong faction in Germany which is absolutely anti-English and which would welcome a war between our countries. That is not the faction whose leaders will ever gain supreme authority, but it exists, and I am here to work against it."

"It is this faction," Mr. Hardy Smith observed—"the militarists, I suppose they would be called—upon whom the alarmists in this country continually fix their eyes. They have a powerful press and great leaders. I am convinced, however, that they do not represent intellectual and responsible Germany."

"Indeed they do not," the Prince assented, "but at the same time they carry weight with some people, and they very seriously increase the difficulties of my task over here. I am determined, however, that no one in Germany shall be deceived as to the pacific intentions of your diplomatists. I have kept a volume of memoirs ever since I arrived here, in which I have recorded the substance of all the conversations which I have had with your principal statesmen. I have accumulated proof therein of the undoubtedly peaceful intentions of your Cabinet. This book will be a great weapon in my hands if the time should come when that much to be distrusted party in my country should attempt to force their bellicose plans upon the Kaiser. By means of that little volume, Sir Julian, I shall preserve the peace."

(To Be Continued Tomorrow and Friday and Concluded Saturday.)



directly he tells a story everyone stops talking. It's a case of 'Love me, love my employer!' If ever I do get a little notice from anyone, it's because Mr. Honeywood is my secretary. I'm getting fed up with it."

"It won't last much longer," Felicia assured him encouragingly.

"I came into this thing," he went on, "just as much because I thought there was going to be a little spice in it, as for the sake of the dollars. Just think of the week I've had! I've been obliged to play tennis with a lot of rabbits, make myself agreeable to his mightiness' secretary because I can speak a few words of German, and plan the new holes on the golf links. Incidentally, I have to watch you flirting with old Kand and pretend I don't mind. That gets me, Felicia."

She laughed more heartily than ever.

"You seem to forget that Julian Kand hasn't a thought in life except for his bank, his stocks and his shares. All this entertaining and social

to be able to enjoy nothing but games."

Felicia patted his hand.

"Jim," she begged, "don't worry. I haven't any definite news for you, but I can give you a hint. There's something on foot, and I believe that you're not only in it, but you are the only one in it."

Van Clarence Smith unwound the arms of his white jersey from around his throat, and leaned forward.

"Is that straight, Felicia?"

"Word of honor! Listen, Sir Julian asked me to walk on the lawn with him after breakfast this morning. I suppose that was the time when you thought he was flirting with me. He talked about nothing else but you. He wanted to know whether you were as strong as you looked and if I thought that you had real courage. He wound up by asking me to let you know during the day that he wanted to see you for a few minutes before dinner in his study. Now do you feel

"Well, I'm sick of playing the muscular butterfly. I'm not English enough to be able to enjoy nothing but games."

She moved her head slightly in the direction of three men who were approaching the tennis courts from the park. One was their host; in the middle his most distinguished guest, Prince Terloff, the representative of a great European nation, and on the other side the Right Hon. Hardy Smith.

"I think I could give a pretty good guess," Van Clarence Smith declared. "The stock markets are jumping all over the place, and Sir Julian is trying to find out whether there is any political reason for it."

Felicia looked thoughtful.

"Somehow or other," she reflected, "I can't help fancying that if the stock markets are really as disturbed as you say, Sir Julian knows all there

walks through the streets of a town, doing the Broncho Bill act with a couple of revolvers, you get just the same scare."

"I can quite understand now," Felicia said, "why Sir Julian explained that for the sake of his financial interests he was obliged to keep in intimate touch with politics. I thought it sounded rather far fetched at first, but the idea is growing on me. Here come Amy Murdoch and Capt. Ashford. I can see a challenge in their eyes. Shall we play them, a set?"

The match was quickly arranged, and the three passersby, seeing that the tennis was likely to prove interesting, enconced themselves in basket chairs and resumed the conversation in which they had been engaged.

"It is a relief," the Prince confided to his two

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## HER ONLY HUSBAND

The Seventh in the great series of 52 Short Stories by the fiction headlines of today, running in the daily and Sunday Post-Dispatch.

## Can One Fall in Love at 40? "Surely," Says Mary Roberts Rinehart, Author

First Love Chiefly a Mutual Attraction; Last Love Composed of Patience, Tolerance and Campanionship.

MARGUERITE MOORE'S MAIL-SHALL.

"FIRST LOVE" is the most beautiful thing in the world. But last love is a better thing."

In two short sentences Mary Roberts Rinehart, whose plays, detective stories and romances have won her a nation-wide popularity, summed up for me the interesting and decidedly compelling philosophy which underlies her latest novel, "Dangerous Days." Mrs. Rinehart, a woman of a man's life, who has had a million tales of young love, but only now and then has a writer attempted what Mrs. Rinehart has achieved—the story of love at 40.

It is on the last page of "Dangerous Days" that Clayton Speckers, the middle-aged hero, tries to express to his charming but no longer youthful wife, the knowledge that the years brought. That love in youth was a plant of easy growth, springing up in many soils. But the love of the old man of a man's life, who has had a million tales of young love, but only now and then has a writer attempted what Mrs. Rinehart has achieved—the story of love at 40.

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"Then you disbelieve in first love?" I asked Mrs. Rinehart. "And I think we should distrust it, and wait for last love."

"No, indeed," she replied, "for last love may be first love, grown, opened, purified. The love of middle life may be an often is the love of youth carried along through the years. True love, like men and women, should mellow as it grows older. When people grow sharper and more suspicious, it may be the most unfortunate. They should ripen like fruit—and so should love."

"I do not," Mrs. Rinehart added, "blue eyes softening and a tender smile touching her well-cut mouth. 'I wish to be put in the light of criticizing young love. It may be the most beautiful thing in the world. All through nature young love wears the brightest feathers, the sweetest songs, has a thousand tender and charming manifestations. It is beautiful even to watch, and it is something which every man and woman should experience."

"Yet often, even though the lovers themselves do not realize it, first love is wholly or chiefly a mutual attraction. A boy and a girl are in love with love, rather than with each other."

## Reflections of a Bachelor Girl

By Helen Rowland.

Oh, when you just love this "free" but profoundly true thing. Good heavens! IT OUGHT to be free! Which sounds like a gargoyle—or worse. And looks like a soup recipe?

WHY does a man always call it "business," when he talks economy to his wife, and "nagging" when she mentions it to him?

A clever girl can get about everything she wants, in this life, but it takes a little pink-and-white thing with a dimple and one brain cell to make a man get it for her.

Most young men have the same attitude toward making a living as a woman has toward getting a divorce. They love to let around and vaguely speculate on how it could be done, if they should ever care to do it.

Half the time a man doesn't know whether to accept his wife's allusions to his sins before company as "honorable mention," an apology or a threat.

Nature revels in a thousand colors—the color of the sea, the color of the sky, and the color of the rose. But Black she has left for coquettes, widows—and the devil.

Sweet Pet Names of Man for Man. Old Duffer—his best friend. Good Old Scout—The man with a wine cellar.

Slim, Boob, Poacher, Poor Fish—The other man, who calls on his girl. Old Gargoyle—His Boss.

Nut—The man who takes anything seriously. Pinhead—The man who doesn't agree with him.

Why does a man always speak of having "given" his heart to a woman—when he knows perfectly well, that she had to WRENCH it from him?

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## NEW APPLE DISH

APPLES may be fastidiously prepared in this new and novel way. Core six apples and stuff with a mixture of dried bread crumbs, brown sugar, cinnamon and flecks of butter. Place in a shallow dish, and pour over them the following sauce, which has been brought to the boiling point: One and one-half cups of water, one cup of dark brown sugar, one-half teaspoonful of salt. Bake in the oven, slowly, until the apples are thoroughly cooked.

## BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES



By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

### Mrs. Skunk Is Set in Her Ways.

She was set in her ways, was Jimmy Skunk's wife. So he seemed to agree and thus kept out of strife.

WHEN Johnny and Polly Chuck moved down to their new home on the Green Meadows, close to the edge of Farmer Brown's cornfield, Jimmy Skunk was one of the first to know it. You see, Johnny had told Jimmy Skunk that he was going to move and so Jimmy was waiting to hear that they had moved. He at once went over to the far corner of the Old Orchard and deliberately entered the old house of Johnny. When at last he came out Jimmy wore a very pleased expression.

"That is a splendid house," said Jimmy, talking to himself. "I wouldn't ask for a better one. Johnny and Polly Chuck must be crazy to leave such a fine home; but if they want to that is their business and not mine. I am glad they have moved, for that means that Mrs. Skunk and I can move in here at once. It is a much finer house than the one we have and it is much better located. I must bring Mrs. Skunk around here this evening."

Jimmy Skunk took his time going home. He didn't hurry. You know how he never does. He just ambled along, stopping now and then to look for fat beetles. Most folks having such good news would have rushed home to tell it, but Jimmy didn't. The fact is, when he did get home he didn't say a word about that empty house. You see, he knew Mrs. Skunk. Yes, indeed, Jimmy knew Mrs. Skunk. He knew that she was set in her ways, and that if he should even hint that it would be a good idea to move, she would at once make up her mind to stay right in their old home.

Now Jimmy has a great deal of respect for Mrs. Skunk. She rules the home. Jimmy's "kiss" is quite willing that she should. But when Jimmy makes up his mind to a thing he is quite as set as is Mrs. Skunk. He had made up his mind that they were going to live in Johnny Chuck's old house and he didn't intend to spoil his own plans by making a mistake in the beginning.

"If Mrs. Skunk once sees the inside of that house," thought Jimmy, "she never in the world will want to come back here, but I must make her think that she had discovered herself that the house is empty. I'll have to lead her around that way this evening. I won't hint that we are house hunting. We have lived here so long that I know well enough she thinks she is perfectly satisfied. So I can't, but she doesn't know it. She is so set in her ways that it is useless to try to talk her out of it."

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## HOME ECONOMIES

By Mrs. Elizabeth Kent.

### TO REMOVE PAINT AND VARNISH STAINS.

PAINT is fine inorganic pigment, or coloring matter, held in suspension by oil and turpentine. A stain from paint means that the fine particles of this pigment are imbedded in the fiber of the cloth. Varnish contains gums or resins, but no pigment, except the varnishes which are called stains. The hardening of a spot from paint or varnish is caused by the partial oxidation of the oil of linseed which holds the pigment, or gum, or resin, in the fibers of the cloth.

At least part of a fresh stain may be scraped off, if a pad or blotter is held underneath to prevent it from spreading. Then a solvent or softening agent may be applied, and the cloth washed in soap and water.

It is well to try the simplest method first, of sponging the spot with plain soap and water repeatedly, until it is gone. If this sponging is ineffectual, turpentine may be used to dissolve the paint, but it must be pure and clean. Good turpentine may be freely applied for it does not injure cloth nor fiber. A dry stain may need to be soaked for some time in turpentine, until it is soft enough to be removed. A very hard stain may be softened with a little grease and then washed with soap and water. Sometimes warm soap and water with a little ammonia is sufficient to remove a stain. Rectified benzine or a fine quality of gasoline, used alone in frequent spongings, may be used instead of turpentine. Chloroform is good on silk or very fine textiles.

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## Appetizing Desserts for the Evening Meal

NO dessert is more delicious or wholesome than a simple well-made pudding which somehow seems to add the proper finishing touch to the evening meal. Pudding making is an art, difficult, but not at all impossible to master. The chief secrets lie in the careful measurement of all ingredients, for puddings cannot be mixed together in a haphazard fashion any more than any other dishes, if good results are to be obtained. The suggestions that follow are delicious and all of them will be found to be economical.

**Marshmallow Pudding.** Take two dozen marshmallows and put them in the bottom of a baking dish. Pour over rich cocoa, made for breakfast, except for a thickening of cornstarch; put the dish into the oven and bake for half an hour. Add a meringue made of the beaten whites of two eggs and brown in the oven. Serve cold.

**Brown Betty.** Put a layer of white bread crumbs in a baking dish and then a layer of sliced apples, and so on, until the dish is almost full. Sprinkle each layer of apples with sugar and a little spice, if the taste is desired, and also mix small nuts or butter through the layers, being sure to have some of the seasoning come on top of the dish. Bake a light brown.

**Cracker Pudding.** One cup cracker crumbs, one pint milk, yolks of two eggs beaten with milk, one tablespoon sugar, one teaspoon lemon extract, three tablespoonfuls coconut; bake 10 minutes. Then add a meringue made of the whites of two eggs, one cup sugar and one teaspoon lemon extract. Put in oven again until brown.

**Tapoca Pudding.** One large cup tapioca soaked in two cups cold water over night; in morning add three small cups brown sugar, one teaspoon salt, two table-

spoons baking molasses, then add a cup of water and place in the oven. Bake three hours and add water until thin as desired; stir occasionally; when cool stir in vanilla flavoring.

**Rice Pudding.** Two quarts of sweet milk, two-thirds of a cup of whole rice, one cup of sugar, butter the size of a walnut, a little salt and grated nutmeg or a section of lemon peel. Put all together in a baking dish and bake until the rice is cooked through. If desired, add meringue of the beaten whites of two eggs.

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# Judging by Yesterday's Performance, the Browns' Second Team Should Be First

## BURKEMEN TAKE LEAD IN THIRD CITY TITLE GAME

### Cardinals Score Two Runs in First Inning, but Browns Bombard Schupp in Third for Four Runs.

SPORTSMAN'S PARK, April 7.—With the sun on duty for the first time during the spring series, a crowd of about 3000 was on hand when the third clash of the city title battle started.

Manager Burke, after winning yesterday's game with recruits, sent the regulars to the field today.

Heathcote was again missing and Smith played right for the Cardinals. Dr. John Lavan was at short for the Cardinals, because Juvrin, hit by a pitched ball yesterday, has a sore arm.

Southpaw Ferd Schupp opened on the hill for the Cardinals, paired with Clemens. Urban Schocker and Billings formed the Browns' battery.

**FIRST INNING.** Cardinals—Shotton doubled to right. Smith sacrificed and was safe on Schocker's fumble. Shotton reaching third. Stock doubled to center. Shotton scoring. Smith stopping at third. Hornsby out. Gerber to Schupp. Fournier walked, filling the bases. McHenry forced Schupp at third. Schupp unassisted, and Smith scored. Lavan raised to Williams. **TWO RUNS.**

**BROWNS—**Schocker walked. Gedeon was called out on strikes. Tobin singled to center. Schupp stopping at second. Sister singled to center, filling the bases. Williams out. Hornsby to Fournier. Schupp scoring. Jacobson out. Hornsby to Fournier. **ONE RUN.**

**SECOND INNING.** Cardinals—Clemens fouled to Schupp. Schupp flied to Jacobson. Shotton singled to right. Smith singled to right. Shotton going to third. Stock tapped to Schocker, who hit him out at first. **NO RUNS.**

**BROWNS—**Billings fanned. Gerber walked. Schocker was called out on strikes. Schupp fouled to Clemens. **NO RUNS.**

**THIRD INNING.** Cardinals—Hornsby was safe when Sister dropped Schocker's throw. Fournier forced Hornsby. Gedeon to Schupp. McHenry was safe when Tobin dropped his easy fly. Fournier stopping at second. Gerber made a sensational catch in Lavan's line and doubled Fournier at second—**NO RUNS.**

**BROWNS—**Gedeon singled to center. Tobin tried to sacrifice, and I need Gedeon. Schupp to Lavan, the latter taking the throw while lying on the ground. Sister singled to center. Tobin going to third. Williams singled to center. Tobin scoring. Sister reaching third and Williams tapping second on the throw to third. Jacobson doubled against the right field fence. Sister scoring and Williams stopping at third. Billings singled to center. Williams and Jacobson scoring. Gerber fouled to Clemens. Schocker walked. Schupp fouled to Fournier—**FOUR RUNS.**

**W. A. A. U. NOW PLANNING TRACK, CROSS-COUNTRY AND MARATHON EVENTS**

Verna Lacy, president of the Western Division of the A. A. U., has called a meeting to be held at 6 o'clock Friday evening, at room 1838 Arcade Building, for the purpose of making arrangements for the Western A. A. U. track and field championships. It also will be decided what the Western Division's stand against the national meet, from which athletes to represent the United States at Antwerp will be selected.

Officials of all the local clubs are invited to attend by President Lacy.

**WHITLEY WILL BE OUT OF WASHINGTON LINEUP**

Efforts to gain the reinstatement of G. Whitley for the Washington University baseball nine have failed and it appears that the Parkway nine will face the Western Military Academy team with a patched outfield, Saturday afternoon.

Berger is the only regular gardener who will be in his place, being stationed at center field. Tommy Thompson will be taken from the infield and placed in left, while either Marquard or Hafner will chase flies in right.

This means that Schewe will be put at second in place of Thompson. The authorities are again working on the case of McKim, but it appears that he is lost for the season.

**Smith Signs Contract.**

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 7.—Jimmy Smith, an infielder, who was with the Cincinnati National League club last year, signed a contract yesterday to play with the Indianapolis American Association team this year. According to an announcement made by "C. C. Smith, vice president of the club, who had a conference with the player in Pittsburgh, Smith will report here Friday.

**Cubs Defeat Amateurs.**

PHOENIX, Ariz., April 7.—Chicago Nationals, 12-19-2; Phoenix Athletics, 10-11-2. Batteries: Hanson and Kilfefer; Bailey and Rosetter.

**Exhibition Games**

White Sox Win, 10 to 5.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 7.—Chicago Americans, 10-13-2; Little Rock Southern Association Athletics, 1-2-2. Batteries: Wilkinson and Lynn; Fields, Masters, Yellowhorse and Brotten.

**Pirates Wallpapers Dallas.**

DALLAS, Tex., April 7.—Pittsburgh Nationals, 11-10-0; Dallas (Texas League), 1-8-5. Batteries: Carlson, Anderson and Burke; Dale, Wood, Banks and Portner.

## Regan-Lynch Bout Next in Prospect; Match Not Closed

### Future City Makes Offer to Eastern Fighter for Contest Here April 29.

By John E. Wray.

Joe Lynch, the Eastern near featherweight, who knocked off Kid Williams when the latter was at the peak of his condition and fame, and who later boxed Jimmy Wilde, a long-distance battle in London—may be seen at the Coliseum, late this month, with the leading wildcat of the local rings, Kid Regan, as his opponent.

The Future City Athletic Club, yesterday wired Lynch a good offer and is awaiting a favorable reply. Weight may prevent Lynch's acceptance of terms.

The Future City A. C. had previously made an attempt to bring together Regan and Harry Kabbokoff, the near lightweight whose varying ring fortunes have caused so much surprise in local circles of late.

Regan Declines to Box Kabbokoff.

According to Matchmaker Tommy Sullivan Regan stated that he did not wish to fight Kabbokoff at the present time, but might consider the bout later. Kabbokoff offered to fight 125 pounds. Sullivan declared.

One of the explanations made in accounting for Kabbokoff's surprising failure, after having his Regan almost out in the second round of their last contest, was that reducing his weight to 125 pounds had weakened the Ghetto fighter so that he lacked stamina.

**Carpentier's View Of Willie Meehan**

Frenchman Puzzled That He Stayed With Dempsey; Criticizes His Style.

NEW YORK, April 7.—Georges Carpentier got quite an eyeful of American heavyweight talent at Newark Sportsman's Club on Monday night and the gallant Georges was not impressed. Naturally, the Frenchman was much interested in Willie Meehan, California's fighting fat man, who twice won decisions over Jack Dempsey.

Meehan has stayed the limit with Dempsey on three of four occasions and of course Carpentier came to see this fellow who had actually made the heavy hitting Dempsey fall all over himself. That Carpentier enjoyed Meehan's antics as well as the crowd did, was plain and when Meehan got going in his tip-top windmill fashion, Carpentier laughed long and heartily.

"Meehan is essentially a swinger, and how a swinger can get by a straight puncher such as they tell me Dempsey is, I can't understand," said Carpentier, through the medium of Jack Curley's translating yesterday. "True, Meehan has remarkable speed for a man of his size and weight, but I feel that I can whip easily any man who swings as wide and open as Meehan does. They tell me that Meehan won and won in the opinion of all who saw the bout. He must have done something they haven't said to me."

"Meehan is a funny man. To look at him you would not think he could fight more than one round. He fought faster and harder in the first, and the pity of it is that he must carry so much extra weight. However, he outpointed Dempsey, and that is a lot to say. They say he was as chubby then as he is today. Yet I can't imagine how Dempsey did not get inside Meehan's swings. I can whip any swinger I ever saw, I believe. No man who swings can defeat a straight puncher, and that is why I am puzzled that Dempsey did not win. It is very odd."

**WISCONSIN STAR ROLLS.**

298 GAME IN A. B. C.; STEPPACHER GETS 653

PEORIA, Ill., April 7.—L. Meritz of Fon du Lac, Wis., yesterday counted the high single game of the American Bowling Congress tournament, when he scored a 298 in his singles. The previous high mark was 280. However, Meritz's other two games were only fair and he finished with 844. The high count in the individuals yesterday was 653 by F. Hilgenberg of Kewanee, Wis., which put him in fifth place.

The high mark in the doubles was scored by R. Stella and E. Moore of Detroit, who went into the fourteenth place with 1231.

St. Louis and East St. Louis bowlers competing in the two-man and individual events yesterday succeeded only fairly well. In the singles, John Steppacher of East St. Louis counted 653, which puts him well up in the prize list. R. Hutt tallied 628, M. Dowling 608, W. Kresling 587, G. Yoxall 547, R. Stacer 546, F. Shewell 509, H. Kohaus 541, F. Sparks 538 and A. Grateniedek 500.

In the doubles the scores were as follows: Yoxall and Dowling 1208, Johnson and Steppacher 1129, Stacer and Kresling 1097, Sherwood and Kohaus 1185, Grateniedek and Sparks 1097 and Forester and Dietz 958.

**Princeton After Game.**

Princeton University has written to Coach Rutherford for an early season basketball game here, next December, while the New Jersey men are making their Western trip. Washington will accept the challenge if arrangements can be made as to date.

Princeton recently asked St. Louis University for a game, but the latter has not yet decided whether they care to play the Tigers.

**Cubs Buy Pirate Terry.**

CHICAGO, April 7.—"Zeb" Terry, infielder of the Pittsburgh Nationals today was purchased by the Chicago Nationals. Terry, who is in his 14th season, will join the Chicago club at Kansas City Saturday.

**Russell Beats Fletcher.**

RAYSONNE, N. J., April 7.—Mickey Russell, Jersey city bantamweight, won in eight rounds from Eddie Fletcher of Hoboken last night.

## RUTHERFORD QUILTS AS PIKERS' COACH

### Washington Mentor Accepts Place as Football Director of Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis, Ore.

Richard W. Rutherford, athletic director at Washington University for the last three years, announced today that he would discontinue his duties at the local school in order to take a similar position at the Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Ore.

Rutherford will remain at Washington U. until the close of the present semester, taking over his new duties at the start of the next football season in October. Rutherford took a trip to Corvallis last month to confer with the O. A. C. authorities.

Rutherford stated that the reason for his departure was not financial, merely. He said that the larger opportunity offered to make a national football showing, under his Far-Western contract, was the principal reason for his acceptance of this position. Rutherford, it was stated, had not solicited a bid for next year's services from Washington.

The former University of Nebraska athletic star came to Washington University in the fall of 1917, succeeding William E. Edmunds. He was selected by a committee of students, alumni and faculty members, upon the recommendation of a number of athletic authorities of this section. During his regime at Princeton, Rutherford has turned out football champions that won the S. A. T. C. championship of the Missouri Valley and that took third place under normal conditions. The

1920 basketball team was runnerup in the valley, which was a record never before equaled on the Pike-way.

Another accomplishment of Rutherford was the building of the athletic treasury from a few worn football jerseys and several debts to a full equipment and \$22,000. Washington University for the first time has assistant coaches and a perfect system of athletic training for all students.

First rumors that there would be a change came last fall with the football defeats at the hands of Missouri and Drake. The most far-reaching Washington alumni and students tried to curb opposition to Rutherford, but it was evident that the coach was chagrined at the efforts to oust him.

Rutherford stated upon announcing his departure that he was satisfied with the manner in which he had been treated at Washington.

**SPORT SALAD**

**In the Spring.**

Round the orchard starts the hop; In the spring the gently blizzards. Hits the peach and apple core.

In the spring the merry maiden Buys a bunch of Easter clothes. In the spring a brighter crimson Comes upon the maiden's nose.

In the spring the rabid rooster Bundled up from feet to chin, May be found in the pavilion. Rooting for his pets to win.

In the spring we chuck our heavies To the robins' soothing song. In the spring we blow our noses. Everything is going wrong.

**TOO TRUE.**

According to political scripture when three or more are gathered together they shall take a straw vote on something.

We take it that H. Johnson would like to share the honors at Washington with his illustrious namesake, Walter.

If Hiram had Walter's speed he'd win that race buck jumping, as we used to say on the turf.

The Walker boxing bill was knocked by the New York Legislature. Judging by the amount of talk, it must have been a right hook to the jaw.

The bill provided that the contestants be not paid until after a contest, and if they didn't earn it they didn't get it. No wonder it was knocked out.

On account of not being able to make 116 pounds for Jimmy Wilde, "Bad News" will not figure in the sporting columns. Young Zulu Kid will sub for "Bad News" which might mean bad news for the Kid.

**THE RACES.**

Large doings at Baltimore. Slippery Elm oozed in with the Inaugural Hooped. Bullet Proof shot to the front in the Prospect purse and nipped Arrow Head, who shot his bolt in the stretch. War Mask won the Whirlaway purse from Arrah Go On, who didn't go on quite fast enough. Irish Kiss won the fifth by a nose from My Dear. Handful took the sixth from Mumbo Jumbo, winning a handful of dough for his backers.

The lost tenants in New York are planning a war on the land.

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## Yale Boxer Loses Twice in A. A. U. Title Tournament

### Burke, Eagan's Conqueror, Misses Chance at Double Honors by Breaking Hand.

MECHANICS' BUILDING, Boston, April 7.—A group of fighting champions regarded as excellent possibilities for selection as representatives of America at the Olympic games, were developed at the national amateur boxing title tournament which closed last night. Six were new holders of the premier honors, while two of last year's winners who tried to retain their laurels were beaten back.

Tommy Murphy of Kansas City, returned to the title list on which he appeared three years ago, and Sam Lagonia of New York repeated his success of last year.

Principal interest in the closing bouts centered in the game attempt of Edward Eagan, Yale's husky boxing leader, to retain the heavyweight title, which he won last year, and gain also the 175-pound crown. He went down to defeat in two slashing battles, each a semi-final event, before the best exhibition of fighting spirit of the night.

Burke, Eagan's conqueror in the 175-pound class, lost a chance for the double honors which the Yale man sought when he broke his right hand in defeating Rudolph Peterson of San Francisco for the title. In that class, and was forced to default in the heavier division.

The final bouts were hard and close. That in the 125-pound class went an extra round, Tommy Murphy of Kansas City regaining his title through a foul by B. Penteau of New York, a negro.

The 1920 champions are:

105-pound class—J. Devito, Paulist A. C., New York.

115-pound class—James Hutchison, Meadowbrook Club, Philadelphia.

125-pound class—Sol Semman, Brooklyn A. A., New York.

135-pound class—Tommy Murphy, Kansas City A. C.

145-pound class—Jack Schoendorf, Milwaukee A. C.

155-pound class—Sam Lagonia, Bronxville A. C., New York.

175-pound class—John Burke, Willow A. C., Pittsburgh.

Heavyweight class—Karl Wicks, Boston.

**SOLDAN NINE DEFEATS**

ST. LOUIS U. HIGH, 9-3

Soldan High School defeated their former pitcher, Jones, now of St. Louis U. High, 9 to 3, yesterday afternoon at the old high school field, King's highway, and Oakland avenue.

Soldan collected six singles and a double off Jones, while the St. Louis U. batters gathered only four singles and one double.

The weather and wet field made clean playing impossible.

It was probably Soldan's last practice game before the opening of the interscholastic season next Saturday, when Soldan faces Cleveland, and Coach Cook gave all his players, first and second string, a chance to show their ability.

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## A. L. Flag Winner Must Nose Out Indians, Says Cleveland Writer

### Ed Bang Predicts Pennant for Speaker's Tribe, Which Crowded White Sox in Final Stages of 1919 Race—Assets Are Speed, Hitting Strength, and Capable Substitutes.

NO. 13—CLEVELAND AMERICANS.

By ED BANG.

SPORTING EDITORIAL NEWS.

TRIS SPEAKER! That has been a name to conjure with in major league baseball as a play in the ranks. Everybody is agreed that Speaker has been one of the brightest luminaries among the greatest men the national game has produced. What will the fan flock say of Speaker as a manager, this being the first season he has started as a pilot of a major league club?

It's our own private hunch—and in this instance we think it amounts to considerable—that Speaker, the manager, will be every iota as good as Speaker the fielder, batter, base runner and thinker.

No man, no matter how great a ball player he may be, can hope to assume a managerial toga and pilot a team to a pennant unless he has exceptionally high-class material. By the same token no team, no matter what its class may be, can bank on leading a flag without a smart, popery, up-and-doing individual to lead them. The great player who is a keen individual and knows how to handle men and the team that has class sticking out all over it go hand in hand.

Such a condition exists on the present Cleveland club. There is none who will try to take it away from Tris Speaker that he represents everything we have enumerated in the foregoing. And what is more, he has absolutely the best allround material that has ever worn the colors of the Cleveland club on a spring training trip. I have watched this Indians long enough to feel that I know whereof I speak when I say "The team that can beat out the Indians will win the 1920 American League pennant, but I can't see anything on the baseball horizon that will be kicking the dust in the face of the Tribesmen when the curtain goes down next October."

**A Strong Hitting Team.**

I realize this is a rather broad assertion to make so early in the season, for the opening gun will not be fired until a week from today, but I doubt if there is any critic or fan who could watch the Indians as closely as I have in the past month and not arrive at the same conclusion. The reasons for my deduction in favor of the Indians in short are:

Good pitching. Stellar fielding. Unusual hitting. Strong substitutes. Exceptional speed. One big happy family. Co-ordination of purpose.

Right now we would say the Indians are 15 per cent faster than a year ago as the result of Speaker's new order. The BIG thing is over in mind with all the Indians, that is, they must sacrifice individual play for team success, and, after all, no team can ever hope to win a pennant if the players have only their own interests in mind.

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## MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

By James J. Montague.



## SWEET ARE THE USES OF ADVERSITY.

A New York burglar lulled his victim into a false sense of security by reciting a poem to him.

You poets who sadly avow,  
That these are extravagant times,  
And one cannot purchase his chow,  
With what he receives for his rhymes,  
If you will abandon your futile endeavor  
To break into print with the stuff you produce  
You'll find it no trouble—no trouble whatever—  
To put your effusions to practical use.

But lately a clever young bard,  
Who couldn't make poetry pay,  
Caught a clothing store man off his guard,  
And read him a lyrical lay.  
The clothing store man gave a terrified gurgle,  
He faltered, and fell in a faint on the floor,  
Enabling the bard, unmolested, to burgle  
The safe that reposed in the back of the store.

The trouble with poets is this:  
Their work gets 'em highly enthused,  
And always they take it amiss,  
Whenever the same is refused.  
But poets, though printed on deckle-edged vellum,  
Or magazine features in heavy-typed rhyme,  
Don't bring half so much when the verse makers sell 'em,  
As when they are used for the purpose of crime.

So poets, no longer complain,  
That the metrical things you have said,  
Or written, are wholly in vain  
To purchase your beefsteak and bread.  
The way you can separate folks from their treasure,  
Will fill your young soul with delighted surprise,  
You poets can all become rich beyond measure  
Your lyrical gift is a gun in disguise.



## RUSHING BUSINESS.

The railroads cut back their property just in time to benefit by the candidate travel.

## THE VALUE OF EXPERIENCE.

The barber vote must have counted.

## A Melancholy Aid.

The crown had provided an illiterate prisoner, who was in the dock for murder, with a young counsel who made a most touching appeal on behalf of his poor, helpless client. The young barrister's speech to the jury was so pathetic that when he sat down the jury were shedding tears, and ladies were weeping all over the court.

When counsel resumed his seat the prisoner turned to the warden with the query: "Who's that bloke that has been talking?"

"That's your counsel. He has been pleading for your life."

"Ain't he a durnal cove?" said the prisoner.—London Tit-Bits.

ed in 1916. None of the candidates this year has whiskers.

BE WARNED BY US.  
Before Chile and Bolivia begin their war they will do well to start drawing up their peace treaty.

## Father's Revolt.

The college-bred daughter reproved her father for dropping his "gs."  
"Have I been droppin' them?" he asked innocently.  
"There you go again, father—droppin'! And you say comin' and goin' and eatin'! It's humiliatin'!"  
"Daughter," said the old man, after a thoughtful pause, "may I drop the final 'g' in 'egg'?"—Boston Transcript.

## Eggs Is Eggs.

"What became of the scheme to stamp the date on eggs before they were put into cold storage?" asked the old Fox. "I haven't seen a stamped egg in five years."  
"No," replied the Grouch. "The ink fades six or seven years after it is stamped on an egg."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## The Absent-Minded Professor.

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—By Fox.

MUMP!

"AFTER IT BLEW OFF I SEARCHED DILIGENTLY FOR IT EVERYWHERE BUT IT HAD SIMPLY DISAPPEARED"

THE PROFESSOR CAME HOME BARE HEADED FROM THE GARDEN SUPPLY STORE AND ANNOUNCED THAT HE HAD "LOST" HIS NEW EASTER HAT

## WHY I NEVER MARRIED BY ELLIOTT CONCRETE, THE GREAT SCREEN LOVER

ON ACCOUNT OF MY BAD MEMORY, IT WOULD BE UNWISE FOR ME TO GET MARRIED—WITH SO MANY TO BEAUTIFUL GIRLS AT MY FEET I'M AFRAID I'D FORGET WHICH ONE OF THEM IS MY WIFE



ELLIOTT CONCRETE GETTING INSPIRATION FOR HIS NEXT PICTURE.

OSWALD J. CALKO, THE GENIUS OF THE MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY, ANNOUNCES THAT, TO BRING DOWN THE COST OF PRODUCTION, HE HAS CONTRACTED FOR THE COMPLETE YEARLY OUTPUT OF A LARGE CUSTARD FACTORY.

TOOTSIE OGLE SAYS: I USE BIMO FOR MY COMPLEXION AND FIND THAT I AM JUST AS HOMELY AS EVER—FOR SALE AT ALL ANIMAL STORES.

REVIEWS OF NEW FILMS BY ALEX SNODGE.

WHERE IS MY HUSBAND? THIS FILM HAS NO PLOT, THE ACTING IS BAD, NOBODY CAN UNDERSTAND THE TITLES, AND IT IS NINE TIMES TOO LONG—IT WILL UNDOUBTEDLY BE A BIG MONEY-MAKER.

BEAUTIFUL EMPLOYEE OF DOUGHNUT FACTORY. WINS FIRST PRIZE IN BEAUTY CONTEST AND GETS POSITION IN MOVIES AT \$50,000 A WEEK—A BRILLIANT SUCCESS IS PREDICTED FOR HER AS SHE KNOWS NOTHING ABOUT ACTING.

VICTROLA HAS SNUGGLED, WHO IS THE SOLE SUPPORT OF HER POOR, LAZY FATHER.



MIKE & IKE—THEY LOOK ALIKE

"SAY, POP!"—FOR A DOG THE "SHIMMY" ALWAYS FOLLOWS A SWIM.—By C. M. PAYNE.



POOR JEFF—MUTT'S BUSINESS HAS GONE TO THE WALL.—By BUD FISHER.



Willie—Paw, what is a committee?  
Paw—A committee is an outfit that takes six men's time to do one man's work, my son.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## A Long Time Since.

"Can you suggest a nice inexpensive car I can get?"  
"No, nor an inexpensive wife, nor an inexpensive meal, nor an inexpensive house. Those things are out of fashion."—Detroit Free Press.

## Shades of William and Mary!

Sir: A patient asked Dr. B. if the davenport in the reception room was a "Marion Williams." She had heard they were awfully stylish and she was thinking of furnishing her living room with "Marion Williams" furniture.—Chicago Tribune.

## Substitution.

The Editor: This line won't do: "Die, cowardly villain, hissed Harold." Harold couldn't hiss those words.  
The Author: That's so. Let's make it: "Expre, spiritless scoundrel."—Boston Transcript.

## PEPTO-MANGAN FOR "SPRING FEVER"

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